

a company to make a turnpike road from the Frederick and Baltimore turnpike road commencing at the west end of Frederick town to Harper's ferry on the Potomac river. The bill entitled, an act for draining a branch of Tuckahoe, known by the name of Beaver dam branch, lying in Queen Ann's county; and the bill entitled, an act to alter and repeal such parts of the constitution and form of government of this state as relate to the division of Alleghany county into election districts, severally endorsed "will pass with the proposed amendments;" which amendments were severally read. The bill entitled an act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road therein mentioned, endorsed, "will pass with the proposed amendment;" which amendment was read. Also a bill entitled, an act to authorise the collectors of the county taxes of the several counties of this state to execute deeds of conveyance in the cases therein mentioned, passed by the senate January 19th, 1816. Which was read, and the resolution in favor of John Witt of Alleghany county, endorsed, "assented to."

The bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to extend Aisquith street in the city of Baltimore, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Van Horn delivers a petition from the trustees of the Bladensburg Academy, praying for a lottery, and also a donation. Which was read and referred to Messrs. Van Horn, Calvert and Beall.

Mr. Van Horn delivers a bill entitled, a further additional supplement to an act entitled, an act to direct descents. Also a bill entitled, an act to correct a mistake in the deed therein mentioned. Which were severally read.

Mr. W. Steuart delivers a bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to authorise the filling up and extending of certain lots on the south side of the basin in the city of Baltimore as amended. Which was read.

Mr. Davidson delivers a bill entitled, a further supplement to the act entitled, an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of building a bridge over the river Susquehanna near Rock run. Which was read.

Mr. Stoddert delivers a bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to authorise and empower the Levy court of Charles county to assess and levy a sum of money on the assessable property thereof for the purpose of building a jail in said county. Which was read.

Mr. Kilgour delivers a bill entitled, an act for the relief of Zachariah M'Cubbin, senior, of Montgomery county. Which was read.

Mr. E. K. Wilson delivers a bill entitled, an act to condemn a lot in the city of Baltimore for a street. Which was read.

The house proceeded to the second reading of the bill from the senate, entitled, an act to give effect to a compromise in certain actions of ejectment in the circuit court of the United States for the district of Maryland, and after some time spent therein, on motion by Mr. Van Horn the further consideration thereof was postponed until to morrow.

The house adjourns until to morrow morning nine o'clock.

SATURDAY, January 20.

The house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to extend Aisquith street in the city of Baltimore, was sent to the senate.

The report on the petition of George Bateman, was read the second time, concurred in, the resolution therein contained assented to and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Stoddert, Ordered, that the report on the petition of judge Martin be re-committed and that the committee be enlarged by the addition of Messrs. Stoddert and Kilgour.

On motion by Mr. Forwood the following order was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table:

Ordered, That the business from each county and city be taken up in rotation, begining from time to time with the senior county first and taking them in seniority until the prepared business of each county and city be acted upon before the business of any other be taken up.

The bill entitled, an act for the benefit of William P. Patterson of Harford county, was read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Calvert the following resolution was read the first and second time by special order, assented to and sent to the senate.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, January 20, 1816.

Resolved, That all proceedings against Alexis Boone and his securities on a judgment obtained against them, on account of a balance due to the state, by the said Alexis Boone, as sheriff of Prince George's county, be, and are hereby suspended until the first day of January eighteen hundred and seventeen and also that the said Alexis Boone and his securities, be, and they are hereby released from the payment of the nine per cent. per annum of the fifteen per cent. interest chargeable on the principal of the balance due the state on condition only that the said Alexis Boone and his securities shall actually pay to the treasurer of the Western Shore on or before the first day of January eighteen hundred and seventeen the principal of the balance due to the state, with interest on the same, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, together with all costs on said judgment, provided that the judgment aforesaid shall continue and be in full force notwithstanding the suspension directed by this resolution, and that if the said Alexis Boone and his securities shall fail in the said payment, they shall thereby forfeit the benefit of this resolution and shall be liable to be proceeded against immediately for the whole of the said debt and costs and the fifteen per cent. interest now payable thereon.

By order,

LOUIS GASSAWAY, Clk.

The bill entitled, an act authorising the conveyance of certain property therein mentioned. The bill entitled, an act to authorise the Levy court of Harford county to levy money for building a bridge and the bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the heirs of John Richardson, late of Caroline county deceased, were severally read the second time, passed and sent to the senate.

Mr. Denny delivers a petition from sundry inhabitants of Caroline county, relative to the poor of said county. Which was read and referred to Messrs. Denny, Willis and Styll.

Mr. Lecompte delivers a petition from Andrew Lord, an old soldier praying compensation for his